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Applicant(s): Marten Rignell et al.

AN APPARATUS AND A METHOD FOR PROVIDING OPERATIONAL STATUS  
Invention: INFORMATION BETWEEN SUBSCRIBERS IN A TELECOMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

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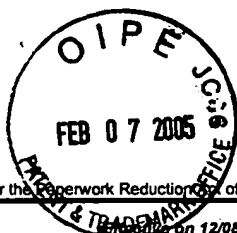
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		Filing Date	March 20, 2001	
		First Named Inventor	Marten Rignell	
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**FEE CALCULATION**

**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims** 38 - 34 = **Extra Claims** 4 x **Fee (\$)** 50.00 = **Fee Paid (\$)** 200.00

**Indep. Claims** 4 - 4 = **Extra Claims** -0- x **Fee (\$)** = **Fee Paid (\$)**

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**4. OTHER FEE(S)**

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**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

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Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 3, 2004 (Paper No. 07), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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